

INDIANA WOMEN TRY ON CROWN JEWELS; TOO HEAVY, SAID

Tire of Parade of Half Billion Dollars Worth of Russian Treasures.

WINCHESTER, Aug. 24.—Two Indiana women watched a parade of \$500,000,000 worth of gems and jewels and grew tired. They tried on royal Russian crowns and said they were too heavy.

They wielded the imperial scepters whose ornaments was the magnificent diamond known as the Orlov of Orlov, the largest and most valuable extant.

The treasurer of the banished house of Romanoff passed in review before Mrs. James P. Goodrich, wife of Indiana's former governor, and Miss Marie Moorman, both of whom live here. The women accompanied ex-governor Goodrich on a Russian relief mission to Moscow.

"I looked until my eyes ached," Miss Moorman declared.

Wears \$1,000,000 Crown.

Mrs. Goodrich wore a crown worth \$1,000,000 which had belonged to Empress Elizabeth. Miss Moorman tried on two valued at \$4,000,000 each.

"Governor," inquired a bolshevik official one day, "how would you and the ladies like to see the crown jewels?"

The governor remarked he didn't want to see Mrs. Goodrich become accustomed to wearing \$4,000,000 hats but the party accompanied the bolshevik official to a building not identified by street and number.

They went up three flights of stairs and were greeted by another bolshevik official. They sat down and two big Red Guards came through a door bearing a box. The lid was thrown back.

The great dome-shaped crown of Peter the Great and all succeeding Czar was lifted out while eleven stalwart Red Guards stationed around the room looked on. There were diamond crosses, jeweled scepters, pearl necklaces and other royal toys.

See Entire Collection.

Then the door opened again and two more soldiers labored through with another box and so on until the American guests had seen the half billion dollar collection which the Romanoffs wore or kept in their vaults for centuries.

The crown of Catherine II bedizened with 2,356 diamonds and one enormous ruby, a diamond weighing 14 karats, about the size of an egg, the crown of Frim, the crown of Vladimir Monomarchus who reigned in the year 1113 and other heirlooms passed before the eyes and were laid on a table for their inspection.

All collected through the ages from various cardoms into the imperial treasury adjoining the palace of the Kremlin finally to fall into the hands of butchers, bakers and candlestick makers as they rose to power with the death of Nicholas Romanoff and the banishment of his family.

Value Diminished. Ex-Governor and Mrs. Goodrich and Miss Moorman feasted their eyes for a while but the value of the lot dimmed in their eyes as they saw so many.

Finally the show ended. All the boxes had been brought up. The table was piled high. The Americans left.

Later the ex-governor discovered

GOOD-BY?

By Juanita Hamel



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If there were no such thing as parting—it really makes no difference whether two have known each other all their lives or met only at the summer resort a few weeks ago—there wouldn't be that question which troubles hearts so much these vacation-ending days. But THE question always leaps to minds from tender hearts—is this to be au revoir or good-by? What is the answer? Isn't it to be found in the very hearts that so tremulously ask the question?

the "joker" in the invitation. The Russian government—Lenine and Trotsky—were said to be planning to pawn the regal splendors in America for what they would bring in order to obtain money with which to operate the government.

Failed to Mourn, Now Faces Murder Charge

Maude Heck Cushing Storrick, formerly of Dowagiac, today faces a murder charge in connection with the mysterious death in Dowagiac last December of her first husband, Claude Cushing.

Analysis of the body of Cushing was made after relatives demanded it be exhumed. Quantities of bi-chloride were discovered.

Mrs. Storrick was arrested at her home in Kalamazoo and arraigned

France Accepts Move to End Turco-Greek Wars

PARIS, Aug. 24.—(By I. N. S.)—A definite move to end the war between the Greeks and Turkish nationalists in the near east was made today when France sent a note to London accepting the British proposal for a Turco-Greek peace conference in Italy.

HO, THERE! FREE BAND CONCERT. Saturday evening, 8 p. m. La Salle and Emerick. Come one. Come all. Advt.—238.

English Golf Stars to Play Over Indianapolis Course

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 24.—Hoosier golfers will have another opportunity to see British star golfers in action when J. H. Taylor, five times the British open champion and "Sandy" Herd, another English star, play 36 holes of golf in an exhibition match at the Indianapolis Country club course on Saturday, Aug. 26. Opponents for the two British stars have not been selected yet but it is known they will be a couple of the best amateur players and two of the best professionals the Hoosier state can produce to play against the foreign stars. The Country club course is one of the most picturesque to play in the country with its hills and wide ravines and it will be a test for the English golfers to break the course record.

THREE-MINUTE JOURNEYS

WHERE CRICKETS ARE TRAINED TO FIGHT PRIZE BATTLES.

One of the oddest forms of amusement of which we know is participation in by the natives of Java. It is that of cricket fighting, and is the most popular holiday diversion of the Javanese. This island lies in the Indian ocean, north of New Holland.

Cricket is trained to fight by the Javanese just as game-cocks are trained by the Filipinos. But it requires much greater effort to train a cricket than to train a game-cock. The little creatures are very difficult to tame. They are wild, and battle hard for their liberty.

After the Javanese man captures the cricket he wants to train he places it in a bamboo cage. He takes care that the wood is the hardest obtainable so the cricket cannot escape by gnawing its way out. The cricket strikes the walls frantically with its horny head until it falls to the bottom of the cage exhausted.

Then the trainer takes his little prisoner from the cage and throws it into a basin of water, where it struggles until nearly drowned. Afterward he strokes the cricket with a cotton-wool-covered stick to soothe it. Then the little creature is tied with a hair and is hung on a nail until it revives.

It is no more than natural the cricket should be ready to submit to training after such a process of taming. During the course of training the trainer tickles the cricket with a little brush to annoy it. Finally in its desperation the cricket makes a pass for the brush and clings to it spitefully, fighting with all of the strength in its small body. After that it is fed on rice sprinkled with cayenne pepper to give it "pepp" until the date for the match arrives.

Another cricket is brought forth by another trainer. Both crickets are tickled with grass to make them

angry, and then are turned out of their cages. The "ring" is soon a busy place as the two crickets rush at each other with "blood in their eyes." The Javanese natives gather about the battling crickets and excitedly bet large sums of money on the small creatures.

The victory is decided when one of the little combatants is thrown or acknowledges defeat by running away. Sometimes one sinks to the "mat" exhausted.

The fight is followed by a great feast in honor of the winning cricket and his trainer.

Captain and Mrs. Cordier

Home From School Reunion

Capt. of Police and Mrs. William H. Cordier have returned from a reunion at Liberty Mills, Wabash county, Ind., where 150 former attendants of the district school Wednesday gathered on the site of their early school days. The site has had three different school buildings in the past 70 years. The honorary attendant was Sam McCutcheon, now living in the West, who taught the Three R's 60 years ago at Liberty.

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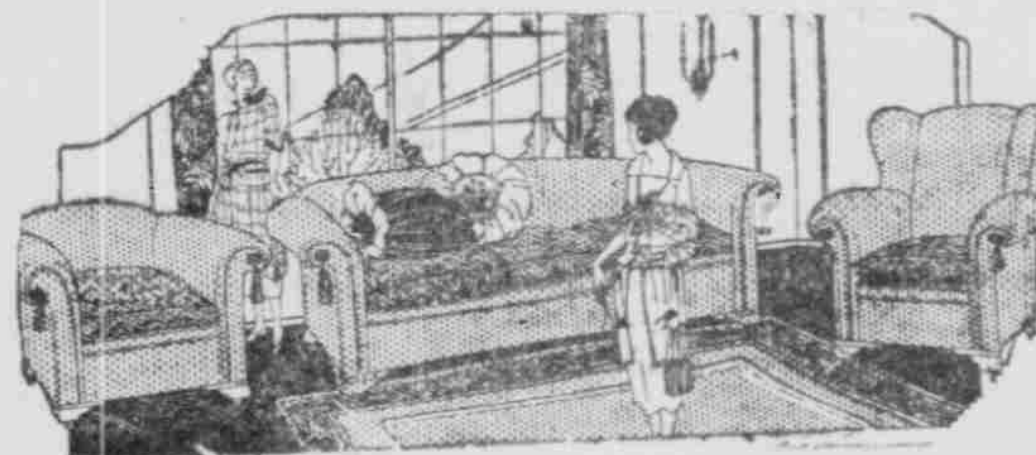
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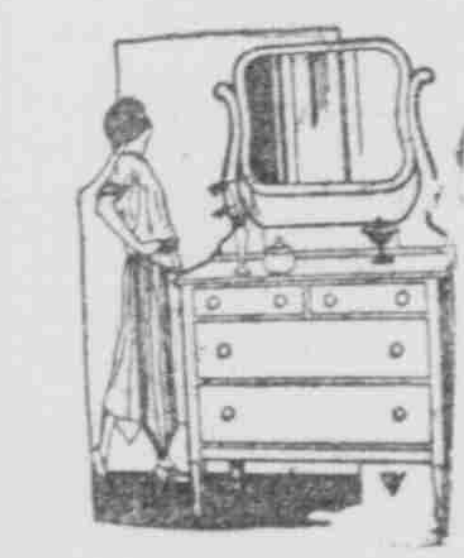
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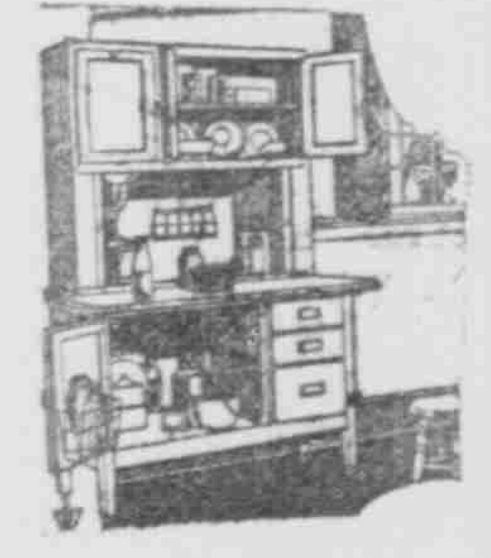
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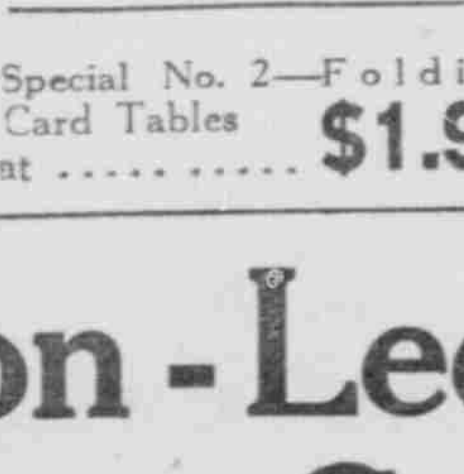
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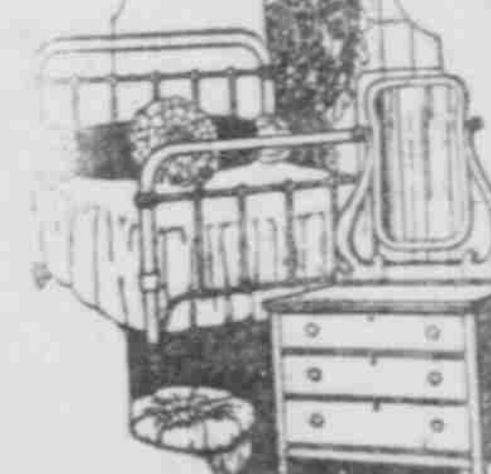
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